

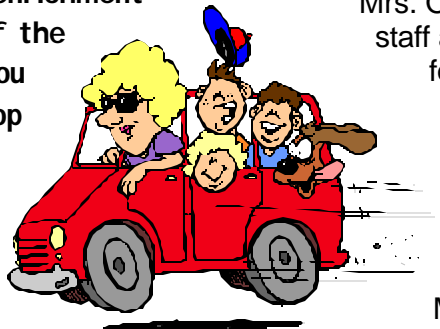
Southeast Parent News

January 2004

KEEPING OUR CHILDREN SAFE

As we welcome in the new year and make our resolutions to change certain things for the new year, let us also remember those things that help to keep the children safe while they are coming and going from school.

Please drop off and pick up your children through the entrance near the kitchen and gym, our art, music and enrichment wing. We have reserved all of the parking near the school for you to do this. If you need to drop your children off in the morning, please park on the side of the school, not in the front circle. It is important for the safety of your children that you escort them into the school and sign them in, if necessary.



MANY THANKS

Dear Southeast School students,
Teachers, Staff and Friends,

Many, Many thanks for the generous donations from The Mitten and Hat Tree. We will use all of the items for needy families in Mansfield.

Thanks Again!
Janit and Pat
Mansfield Youth Services

Stories for Southeast The Gift That Keeps on Giving

The Southeast Elementary School PTO would like to thank the individuals below for

their purchase of the following books for our school library:

- Felicity's Surprise: A Christmas Story... In memory of Betty Rood, mother of Mrs. Shay... from Norma Fisher-Doiron;
- How People Live... In loving memory of Betty Rood, a life-long reader... from the Shay Family;
- The Magic Locket... In memory of Betty Rood, mother of Mrs. Shay... from The Southeast PTO;
- Mount Olympus Basketball... Happy Holidays to Mrs. Latino, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. O'Connell-Buckley, and to all the staff at Southeast School...Thanks for all that you do... from John, Karen, Brian, and Amy Porter;
- A Series of Unfortunate Events: The Miserable Mill... In memory of Betty Rood, mother of Mrs. Shay... from The Southeast Staff;
- The Squeaky, Creaky Bed... Happy Holidays to Mrs. Latino, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. O'Connell-Buckley, and to all the staff at Southeast School...thanks for all that you do... from John, Karen, Brian, and Amy Porter.

If you are interested in purchasing a book for our library, please contact Mickey Maheu for information.

\$ STUDENT BANKING \$

Student Banking at Southeast School is every Monday morning. If you want more information on how to join, please call Stacy Fulton at 456-2143. Keep Saving!

THANK YOU!

A heartfelt "thank you" to all the volunteers and people who bought books from the book fair.

It was a great success! We earned over \$600 in books for the Southeast School Library!

The PTO



Safety Tips for Young Cooks

From baking tasty treats to making hot cocoa, children are eager to help with the cooking. Here are some tips to keep children safe as they learn to help in the kitchen:

- Never leave a child unattended.
- Never hold a child while cooking.
- Make sure pans are on back burners and all pot handles point toward the back of the stove.
- Keep hot foods and liquids away from the counter and table edges.
- Supervise your child when they or near or using a microwave.
- Be careful with items on placemats or tablecloths. Young children could pull hot dishes down and scald themselves.
- Make sure your clothes do not get in the way of your cooking.
- Unplug appliances when not in use and keep them out of reach of children.



Take a look at what's happening in January and February

All events at Southeast unless stated otherwise

JANUARY

Board of Education Meeting Thursday, Jan. 15
7:30 p.m., Council Chambers, Town Hall

Martin Luther King Day Monday, Jan. 19

No School

Chinese New Year Thursday, Jan. 22

Board of Education Meeting Thursday, Jan. 22
7:30 p.m., Council Chambers, Town Hall

Board of Education Meeting Thursday, Jan. 29
7:30 p.m., Council Chambers, Town Hall

FEBRUARY
PAC Meeting Monday, Feb. 2, 6:00 p.m.
Room 19

PTO Meeting Monday, Feb. 2, 7:00 p.m.
Room 19

Ground Hog Day Monday, Feb. 2

Science Fair Wednesday, Feb. 11

Pres. Lincoln's Birthday Thursday, Feb. 12

Valentine's Day Saturday, Feb. 14

February Vacation Monday through Friday
No School Feb. 16 – 20

Presidents' Day Monday, Feb. 16

Pres. Washington's Birthday Sunday, Feb. 22

Trestle Tree Begins Monday, Feb. 23

